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Open Evenings

Veteran of Shiloh Joins Greater Army

Ira Hendrix, Whose Brilliant Record Throughout Great Struggle Was Notable Fact of His Life, Dies at Ben Lomond Orange Ranch

Ira Hendrix, a veteran of the Civil War, who had been for some years a rancher on Ben Lomond avenue, passed away after a spell of illness last Sunday evening, at the age of 71 years. His funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at the residence, and the body was afterwards shipped to his old home in Letts, Ia., where it will lie beside that if his wife. The funeral was conducted by Rev. S. J. McConnell of the Covina Methodist church, who gave a very touching tribute to the memory of this brave spirit.

Ira Hendrix was born in Wayne county, Ind., August 17, 1843. The greater part of his life was spent in Muscatine county, Ia. At the age of 18 years, at the breaking out of the Civil War, he answered the first call of Abraham Lincoln for 600,000 volunteers to put down the Rebellion, to serve three years or during the length of the war. He was enrolled with the 8th Iowa Infantry on September 10, 1861. He participated in many engagements with his regiment, the great battle of Shiloh being one of them. He was taken prisoner and held by the confederates for 59 days at Tuscaloosa, Ala. At the expiration of three years of service he re-enlisted for the remainder of the war. He gave four and one-half years of splendid service to his country.

On September 11, 1867, he was united in marriage with Miss Hannah J. Wells. To this union were born four children, all living except the daughter Mary. His estimable wife passed [illegible] home last October three years ago, the greater part of the time living on his ranch on Ben Lomond avenue. Since his wife left him for the better land his health had not been good. He was cared for in his last sickness by his younger son and wife, with whom he lived the last few years. Another son came from the north a few days before his death. He was a life-long Methodist, having been born a member of the church in the Central West. He was a man of practical worth, of a kindly and genial spirit, and had many friends. All who knew him respected and honored him. He is now a member of the Church Triumphant, and has joined that innumerable company of heaven-prepared souls about the throne of God.

WEATHER REPORT OF THE COVINA UNION HIGH SCHOOL

Date	Max.T.	Min.T.	Hum.	Rainfall
Mar. 8	69	37	82	.02
Mar. 9	64	37	88	.00
Mar. 10	63	42	63	.00
Mar. 11	70	39	68	.00
Mar. 12	70	39	88	.00

Rainfall for week 02
Rainfall for year 20.00

CLYDE KING, Observer.

KNEE-DEEP IN MARCH IN COVINA HILLS

Every day there is a straggling crowd of Covina people who make their way across the green plains south of the city to the greener hills that encircle the valley on the south. Not for years has the burr clover and filaree on these hills been luxuriant as this year. The rains have been coming at frequent intervals since last October, making the grass grow two blades where formerly there never grew but one. The filaree is knee-high in some places on these great, rolling lomas.

In the grasses, starred and colored like a stitching of silver and gold on a green cloth, are Johnny-jump-ups, the wild heliotrope, the "shooting stars, yellow daisies, wild mustard, and a hundred other flowers whose names are not known to the uninitiated.

There are many wild and secluded dells in the hills where the ferns drip water and the mosses grow. It is the beautiful season, and a day in the hills is unalloyed delight.

Truckloads of Oranges in Long Procession

Next Saturday is "Orange Day" and Covina Will Contribute Big Quota to Unique Festival—Every Packing House Represented

With the 1915 Festival band of 48 pieces heading the parade, the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the San Gabriel valley will enter the big procession on Orange Day next Saturday, March 20, and there will be 50 truckloads of oranges from this section. Every orange-packing house this side of the San Gabriel river, as well as Monrovia, Arcadia and Pasadena, has contributed its quota of oranges on a flower-decked truck, and there will be pretty girls to throw oranges to the people all along the main streets of the Angel City.

The committee feels jubilant over getting the splendid Festival band, as it is the finest aggregation in Southern California. The band is offered free of expense to the Orange Day parade.

With the truckloads of oranges will also go the ranchers from all the cities, who will form a parade in automobiles. Every rancher who wishes to participate is asked to communicate with J. L. Matthews of Covina, who will arrange for Covina's contingent in this mammoth procession. It is estimated from the number of trucks and autos already promised that the parade will be three miles in length.

On this day the stores in Los Angeles, throughout the state, and the United States, will feature oranges. Los Angeles will be decorated in yellow banners. It will be one of the big features of the series of festivals which the Southland is offering the visitors during 1915.

Covina School Pupils Work For Queen Leta

Concert Program Prepared for Next Thursday Night in High School Auditorium—Proceeds Will Buy More Contest Votes

On Thursday evening of next week, beginning at 8 o'clock, in the high school auditorium, there will be a concert and unique entertainment, given by high and grammar school scholars and talent within the valley for the benefit of Miss Leta Nash, the local candidate for queen of the 1915 festivals.

The affair has been arranged by the school officials and the scholars, and will be something out of the ordinary, although being given for the very nominal sum of 10 cents. The scholars are taking a very vivid interest in Miss Leta's candidacy, and are working in every manner possible to make it a success. Already the Covina candidate stands very high in the list of fifteen candidates, in spite of the fact that the queen candidates in the city are backed by very large organizations. Miss Nash is the choice of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the San Gabriel valley, including over twelve towns and communities, and she is also the only high school girl in the race. All the schools of the county are rallying to her support.

The program on Thursday evening will feature some very interesting folk dancing by high school girls, trained by Miss Mildred Price, and the orchestra of the high school will render several numbers under the leadership of Prof. Groom. Miss Nash will sing two selected numbers. There will be vocal selections by a male quartet, readings by Mrs. W. W. Nash, Mrs. J. D. Reed, and Mrs. J. J. Morgan, and a program of vocal music by the Covina grammar school consisting of the following numbers:

Gipsy song (Loomis), sixth grade; Jerusalem the Golden, sixth grade; Norwegian boat song, seventh and eighth grade boys; King of Kings (Schumann), seventh and eighth grade girls and boys; Spring Song (Gounod), seventh and eighth grade girls; Nightingale (Kjrulf), girls and boys.

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Musical Festival Plans For High School

Prof. Groom Has Elaborately Arranged for Coming of Big School Organizations. Girls in Military—Baseball Practice.

On March 26th the annual musical festival held by the high schools of Los Angeles county, will be held at Covina. The feature of the evening will be the first public appearance of the girls' symphony orchestra, an organization of forty pieces, composed of girls from Covina, Bonita and Citrus high schools. The girls have held several rehearsals, at the different schools, and are prepared to spring a genuine surprise on their initial appearance. The following organizations will be represented: Compton band and glee club, Monrovia orchestra and glee club, Citrus orchestra and glee club, South Pasadena orchestra and glee club, Covina band and glee club, and the girls' symphony orchestra.

GIRLS ARE DRILLING.

In spite of various and sundry attempts by the boys to disconcert them the military spirit of our girls still prevails. They held a drill Monday afternoon and Thursday noon, at which there were many interested spectators. The smaller brigade, or rather the brigade composed of smaller girls, insist that their name is not baby dolls, but infant (ry); however, as the brigade of larger girls refuses to divulge any different name, we shall continue to designate them as baby elephants. Just what the girls intend to do we do not know, but they have been given fair warning that any display of a refractory spirit will result in a general mobilization of the state militia.

DRESSING THE PART.

The senior boys have adopted a unique style of collars and ties, which add greatly to their profound dignity of bearing. Indeed, they now look really brainy and solemn.

THANKS FOR COOKING CLASS

Monday evening the girls' and boys' cooking classes gave a dinner to the basketball teams, and proved the best hosts and hostesses imaginable. The center of the table was decorated with a miniature basketball field surrounded by green shrubbery. On the field was a team of "Kewpies," one throwing a foul goal, with the ball in his hands. Place cards in the shape of basketballs were hand-painted by several of the girls. The members of the basketball teams all declared that they never had a better time.

PRACTICE BASEBALL

Tuesday afternoon our baseball team, in its first appearance, defeated Citrus by a score of 16 to 0. The game was rather a disappointment, as there was no chance to draw any conclusion on the real strength of our team, because Citrus was so weak. The boys have some fine material and a little of the spirit shown during the basketball season would probably bring the same result. Citrus was able to gather only two hits off the trio of Covina pitchers who faced them, and both these were scratch hits in the infield. In the field the Covina boys made only two errors, while the opposing pitchers seemed easy for them. King, Olmstead, and Jackson all pitched good ball, while Dalin and Daniels starred on the receiving end. We certainly have plenty of battery material this year, and as we have about six good infielders and five outfielders, there should be a lively scramble for places on the team.

JACK CLARKE, '15.

Mrs. M. E. Seeley of Los Angeles is spending a few days this week with her son, A. M. Seeley, and family.

BEREAN CLASS SUPPER MONDAY EVENING

The Berean bible class will hold its first banquet in the social rooms of the First M. E. church Monday evening, March 15, at 6:30 o'clock. Persons holding tickets to the banquet will be admitted. Menu: Fruit cocktain, cream of chicken with hot biscuits, fried belgian hare a la Maryland, mashed potatoes, cream chicken gravy, cold slaw, fruit salad, cheese and wafers, Harlequin pudding, home-made cake, coffee, tea and cafe noir, after-dinner mints.

Firemen's Big Carnival Comes March 25th

Street Dance on Citrus Avenue With Seventh Regiment Band Playing—Chief Eley of Los Angeles and Queen Leta Will Lead Grand March

Chief Eley of the Los Angeles fire department, and Miss Leta Nash of Covina, the latter Covina's candidate in the 1915 queen contest, will lead the grand march on Citrus avenue on the evening of Thursday, March 25, when the Covina fire department will hold a big open-air dance and band concert. The whole city will be in carnival dress for this occasion.

The affair will be run for the benefit of Miss Nash, the dance tickets being sold at 5 cents each, with the money used to buy votes for the Orange Belt queen. There will be a band concert by the Seventh Regiment band of Pomona, one of the finest brass bands in Southern California. The band will also play for the dancing.

At a meeting held on Thursday evening the boys of the Covina fire department started the ball a-rolling. Citrus avenue, between Badillo street and College street will be given a thorough bath by the fire department, and the smooth macadam will be covered with corn meal, in the old-fashioned method of holding street dances. The sidewalks will be roped off, and strings of colored electric lights will be festooned above the street. All the stores will be gay with American liberty bunting and flags.

On a platform built in the middle of the street the band will play, and there will be an entertainment of vocal music, including patriotic songs by Miss Nash, the candidate, who is one of the most popular singers in the Covina valley. All day on Thursday the stores of the city will be en fete, and Covina will spend a genuine day of carnival.

The Los Angeles fire department will be represented by Chief Eley and a dozen of his chief aides, while there will be representatives from every fire department in the various cities of Southern California. The candidate for queen, who is being boosted by the Los Angeles department, will accompany the officers of that company.

Further arrangements for this affair will be made by the local fire department at a meeting on Sunday afternoon. Every citizen and merchant in the valley is taking hold of the idea with enthusiasm. It is expected that a program of sports will be arranged for the afternoon, on Citrus avenue.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. H. L. Smith, for five years a successful milliner in Los Angeles, has established a business for herself in Covina, and has fitted up the new store on Citrus avenue, next to Wolfarth's jewelry establishment. She has put into the store good modern cases and shelves, and has made an attractive window display. Mrs. Smith has been somewhat pushed for time to get her stock in shape, but announces that Saturday (today) will be the day of her opening. The ladies of the Covina valley are asked to call and get acquainted. Mrs. Smith has a full line of first-class millinery and her prices throughout the year are to be reasonable. 1t

CONFIRMATION SERVICE

Right Rev. Bishop Johnson of Los Angeles will be present at Holy Trinity church tomorrow at 11 a.m. to administer the rite of Laying on of Hands. The bishop will preach.

S. S. Stowe of Linwood was a guest Saturday night and Sunday of J. H. Devol and family.

EASTER GIFTS OF PHOTOGRAPHS

During March Mr. C. W. Tucker of Covina will give a 15 per cent reduction on all cabinet photographs and larger sizes and styles.

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15c men's dress socks cut to 6½c

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35c and 50c men's suspenders, cut to 19c

50c men's summer work shirts cut to 29c

Men's Monarch and Silver dress shirts cut to 89c

$1.50 and $1.75 men's latest style golf shirts cut to $1.19

50c men's fine Balbriggan underwear cut to 38c

50c men's medium weight ribbed underwear, cut to 39c

$1.25 men's summer union suits cut to 58c

$5.50 boys' fine suits (knickerbockers) with 2 pairs of pants, cut to $4.15

$15.00 men's Hart Shaffner & Marx suits, cut to $9.89

$20.00 men's Hart Shaffner & Marx suits, cut to $12.88

$22.50 men's Hart Shaffner & Marx suits, cut to $15.89

85c to $1.50 boys' pants now cut to 63c, 98c and $1.19

$1.50 men's fine whipcord and khaki pants, cut to $1.19

50c boys' blouses cut to 39c

$2.00 ladies' white pumps, the new Emmy Lou; just out. Flexible rubber sole now only $1.48

$3.00 ladies' pumps in patent and gun metal, Mary Janes, too. Brand new spring shoes, latest styles, cut to $2.29

$5.00 ladies' latest English walking shoe, with the new Juniper sole, and rubber heel—classy—cut to $3.79

$5.00 ladies very latest new military shoe, battleship gray cloth top, Just out; cut to $3.98

Men's work shoes, regular prices $2.50, $3.00, $3.25, and $4.00, now cut to ..... **$2.19, $2.48, $2.78 and $3.28.**

Men's famous Crawford shoes, values up to $5.00, are now cut to ..... **$3.15, $3.39, $3.89 and $4.14**

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Blind Girl Is Happy In Berkeley Home

Lucy Ruelas, Whose Sightless Eyes Aroused the Pity of Covina Women, Is Now the "Baby" of the State's Big Institution for the Blind

By Mary M. Coman

The many friends of little Lucy Ruelas, the blind child who was recently sent to the state school for the blind at Berkeley, will be interested to know that she not only is very happy in her new home, but that the officers and teachers of the school think her the most promising and attractive child. Because she is the youngest child there, she has been given the pet name of "Baby," and has been placed under the immediate care of an older girl, who also speaks Spanish.

It was my privilege a few days ago to meet Miss Kate M. Foley, a graduate of this same school, who gave a most attractive description of the life and work of the children in the school for the blind. Little Lucy has kindergarten work, and her first lessons in braille reading are in the morning, while afternoon hours are given to play and out-of-door exercises. Miss Foley, herself blind from babyhood, has recently been made a home teacher for the blind, by the state, and living in Los Angeles, is doing a very remarkable and interesting work, for which she is peculiarly fitted. Most of her time is given to adult pupils in their own homes and she says she knows of nothing at once more pathetic and triumphant than the first reading, through the fingers, of the aged blind. She has some forty pupils, most of whom readily learn to read in the raised braille, or point letters, in six lessons. The state library has some 6000 thousand volumes in these systems, which are sent free of cost to the blind throughout the state.

Searches State for Blind Children

A second part of her work is the finding of little blind children and sending them to the state school, while she herself feels that the third division of her duties is perhaps most important of all—that of bringing the general public into intelligent helpfulness with those so unfortunate to be, by birth of accident, blind. Miss Foley has a most winning personality, attractive in face, charming in manner and with a delightfully modulated voice, and when she addresses an audience she reads with sensitive fingers her braile manuscript, with head erect and face aglow with the enthusiasm of a bright, clever woman, and her hearers are drawn to her irrisistibly, not through pity, but by her earnestness and ability. Indomnitable courage, eternal optimism, flashing humor combined to make an unusually strong character, and all these sterling qualities she gives to her students. It is no wonder that her success is phenomenal, that her faith and hope are contagious. Twice each week, on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, Miss Foley is at the state library headquarters in Los Angeles, tenth floor of the Hall of Records, where she teaches and advises those who can come to her.

To meet her and hear her tell of the opportunities as well as the deprivations of the blind is to have a new realization of the latter as well as a desire to help in the former.

TEXAS NEWSPAPERMAN IS VISITING SISTER HERE

D. J. Moffitt of Pilot Point, Tex., is visiting his sister, Mrs. George W. Hall, on Cottage Drive. In company with Mr. Hall he has been making trips through the Covina orange district.

Mr. Moffitt is an old newspaperman, having been the proprietor of a newspaper at Pilot Point nearly all his life. He is taking a well-earned rest in the sunny Southland.

Mr. Moffitt speaks of business conditions in Texas as being very quiet, in keeping with the rest of the United States. The failure to sell or to get good prices for cotton this year has been a set-back to the state of Texas. In speaking of this fact, Mr. Moffitt said that the shipping of raw cotton to Europe, where it was made into dress goods had been a poor policy of the United States, as proven by the complete crippling of the cotton industry on the outbreak of the war. He said that he had advocated for years that every cotton-growing county in the United States should have its own cotton mill, where the local product could be made into the finished material.

THE MISSION PLAY

Although the season of heavy tourist travel on the overland railroads has just begun, the steadily increasing attendance at the Mission Play is a sure sign that there are many thousands of Eastern visitors in Southern California. Already many notable persons have been seen in the patio of the playhouse at San Gabriel—statesmen, prelates, railroad chiefs, capitalists, world-famous philanthropists, men and women prominent in the business and social life of the country—and it would seem that if one were to stand at the gate of the Mission playhouse through this exposition year, he would meet almost everyone of national repute or importance in the United States.

Among the distinguished visitors last week was Richard K. Fox, the millionaire publisher and patron of sports, who is on his first visit to California and says he is coming every year after this.

On Sunday last Edwin Markham, author of "The Man With the Hoe," and other celebrated poems, and who now since the death of Jouaquin Miller steps to the head of the line of America's living poets, came with a large party to the play. Mr. Markham, who is himself a Californian to the core, was perhaps the most intensely enthusiastic patron the Mission Play has had this year.

On the same day George Dallas Dixon of Philadelphia, vice-president in charge of traffic of the Pennsylvania railroad, accompanied by Mrs. Dixon, who is one of the most brilliant society women of the East, both being accompanied by a dozen of the most prominent Eastern railroad magnates, occupied three boxes. They arrived at San Gabriel in the private parlor-car of President Paul Shoup of the Pacific Electric railway.

MASS MEETING IN INTEREST OF TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION

There will be a union mass meeting at the First Methodist church Sunday night in the interest of state temperance legislation. Dr. D. M. Gandier, one of the leaders in the temperance movement in California, will be the speaker. Dr. Gandier is a speaker of unusual ability. There will be good music and a splendid welcome to all who will attend this meeting.

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Goes To San Quentin For Ten-Year Sentence

Automobile Thief Who Stole Hudson Six-Forty Belonging to Dr. R. Manning Clarke of Covina Is Given Stiff Term

The young Pomona man who stole Dr. C. Manning Clarke's Hudson Six-Forty machine recently, and who was convicted on the charge of stealing other machines, has been sentenced to ten years in San Quentin. The Pomona Progress gives the following account of the sequel to this carnival of automobile stealing:

Robert Rucker, the young man who stole the Phillips and Woy automobiles, along with about a dozen others, last winter, was sentenced to ten years in San Quentin by Judge Willis, in the Superior court, Friday afternoon. He took his medicine without so much as a shrug of his shoulders.

Constable Frank Slanker was called over to give the court some back history of the Rucker case, and he was on the stand for about an hour, during which time he went back over the incidents in Rucker's life, for about twelve years, which had required his official attention. He told of handling the case for which the boy was sent to Whittier, of working on the evidence that sent him to Ione, and of arresting him in Imperial valley for stealing a local auto two years ago. Then he told of arresting Rucker here a couple of months ago for stealing autos in Los Angeles, at which time the youth admitted that he had stolen about twelve, including the Phillips and Woy machines in this city. He took the constable to places in Los Angeles where he and his pals had planted the accessories they had stripped from the stolen cars. Rucker's pals have not yet been tried.

"I made a fair statement of facts," says the constable. "I didn't tell just one side of the story. I told the court that he had been decent about admitting the thefts and had showed us where he hid the stuff. That was all taken into consideration. He is about 21 years old. If he is a good prisoner he ought to serve out his term in about seven years. That will let him out early enough to make a new start in the prime of life."

IOWA BUSINESS MAN VISITS BROTHER HERE

W. H. Stark, brother of George L. Stark, the latter the proprietor of the Stark Clothing Company of Covina, is visiting his brother here and making extensive trips throughout Southern California. He is a wholesale milliner of Cedar Falls, Ia.

Mr. Stark, in talking of business conditions while in the Argus office, said that the past year had been dull in Iowa, although there had been no secrificing of property on account of the depressing times. Banks had been, and still were, careful about issuing any long-time notes. Nearly all borrowing during the past year had been for 30 or 60 days, he said. Real estate had not been moving at all in Iowa.

But, he went on to say that he saw a very healthy recovery of business coming for the middle west. The farmers were making arrangements to plant every available acre with foodstuffs, in anticipation of the big demand from Europe. Mr. Stark admitted that business conditions had not been good, but did not believe there was anything fundamentally wrong with the country. He is one of the most successful business men in Iowa, being half-owner of a big millinery concern that has recently moved into its own eight-story building in Cedar Rapids.

NURSERY STOCK RAISER FINDS USE FOR THEATER

O. C. Willoughby, a Covina rancher, has discovered a use for the big board inclosure on Citrus avenue, known as the Airdome theater. The place was built for an open-air theater, and in just about opposite the First National Bank.

Mr. Willoughby has filled the interior with the choicest of his big stock of true-to-name citrus trees, and has hung out a big sign that these trees are for sale at some of the lowest prices that have obtained in the valley in a long while. He is doing business, too, as the display is attracting the attention of every rancher that drives into town.

Mr. Willoughby is thoroughly known to nearly every rancher in the valley, as he has been growing citrus stock for ten years. He has built up a good business through a business integrity and the fact that his trees have turned out to be just what he said they would be. Dealing in nursery stock is one of the most responsible businesses in the citrus districts. Mr. Willoughby has spent years in building up a reputation for selling good citrus stock that is true-to-name. 1tp

COVINA MERCHANT MAKES STORE RENOVATIONS

W. B. Broadwell has been making a number of modern improvements in his store the past week, cleaning and refitting in anticipation of the busy rush of the spring months. The windows and store front have undergone a thorough renovation.

"It's one of the signs of the times," said the merchant this week. "We have all been in the dumps for two years or more, on account of hard times, and believe me, they have been hard, too. But not only the Broadwell store, but every merchant in the country seems to have obtained an optimistic hunch from somewhere, and things are looking vastly better. Trade is better. That immediately makes the merchant feel better. He works harder. He gets more trade. And the ball rolls up."

LOCAL RANCHERS BUY FROM WHITTIER NURSERY

Chas. H. Hamburg of the Whittier Nursery, who has been placing quite a large number of orders for walnut trees through the Covina and Puente districts, said this week that on a recent trip through the valley he was much gratified to find the trees on these ranches in a fine and flourishing condition. In every instance where he talked with the men to whom he had sold trees in the past they spoke of the good growth of the trees and the superior quality of the nuts.

Mr. Hamburg supplied the ranches of F. P. Baldosser, J. K. Hedges, the Warren ranch, Service Bros., C. H. Shirley and other places with walnut trees, and reports in every case were satisfactory. A large amount of walnut planting is now going on in the valley, as this is the proper time to set out the ranches. tf

DAVID AND MARGARET HOME

At the regular board meeting held in the David and Margaret Home for Children, last Monday, reports showed things moving along splendidly. A great work is being done there in the housing and caring for fatherless and motherless children. Fifty-one are at present in the home. The management would appreciate the co-operation of our various churches in sending in all kinds of provisions. Just at this time flour, ham and breakfast foods would be most acceptable.

Children from every Protestant and Catholic church are cared for in this home and their training is such that they will go out into the world and make honorable men and women. Do you not want a part in such a work?

Remember this home is only about seven miles to the East of us.

A MEMBER OF THE BOARD.

ANNUAL MEETING OF NEW ENGLAND SOCIETY

The New England Society of Southern California will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers, transaction of business and social entertainment at the Young Men's Christian Association, 715 South Hope street, Los Angeles city, Saturday evening, March 20th, 1915.

The Young Men's Christian Association is accessible from the red cars on Sixth street; the yellow cars on Sixth and Seventh streets and Grand avenue.

Assemble 7:30 p.m. Speaking 8 p. m.

Remember the place, the hour, and extend a cordial invitation to all New Englanders and their families to attend the meeting and join the society. The society consists of former residents of New England and their families.

The annual membership fee, including dues and badge, is only twenty-five cents. The regular meetings of the society are the annual meeting in March, Fourth of July celebration, and banquet on Forefathers' Day.

The officers are: president, four vice-presidents at large, six state vice-presidents, secretary and treasurer and assistant secretary.

WILL D. GOULD, President.
82-5 Temple Blk., Phone F 6209.
JOSEPHINE M. SCOTT, Sec.-Treas.
215 W. 16th Street, Phone Main 3882

He Made the Name Famous

An Englishman was walking along one of the principal thoroughfares of Washington and saw a curly-haired old negro putting in coal in one of the cellars of one of the government buildings. The old negro worked away industriously.

"What is your name?" asked the interested foreigner at length.

The negro bowed in a pleasant way.

"My name's George Washington, sah, at your service."

"Washington, Washington," muttered the foreigner musingly. "It seems to me I have heard that name before."

"Shouldn't wonder, sah," rejoined the negro in a delighted tone. "I've been here doing this sort of thing for the last ten years."

The Covina Argus, $1.50 per year.

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Be Quick **12 YARDS MUSLIN - $1.00** Be Quick
Hope or Launsdale

10c ladies' sleeveless vest...7½c
$1.50 ladies' white and fancy night gowns ...$1.29
50c ladies' fancy outing flannel night gowns ...35c
65c ladies' grey outing flannel skirts ... 45c
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65c ladies' muslin night gowns for ... 49c

BE QUICK

65c Bungalow Aprons (percale and gingham
Special 39c

BE QUICK

12½c York gingham ...9c
20c Shepherd's Check Outing ...12½c
25c and 35c fancy Flaxon ...19c
35c poplin ...25c
Comfort cotton Challie ...6c

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See What 3c Will Buy

Straight pins — Pearl buttons
Safety pins — Mucilage
Hooks and eyes — Library paste
2 spools darning cotton — Hair pins
Vegetable brushes

$1.50 Corset - $1.19

Wide Moray hair ribbon ...10c yard

Blankets

$1.25 double cotton bl.
$1.75 blanket ...
$2.50 comfort ...
$3.00 comfort ...

Underwear Men's

$1.00 men's summer wool underwear ...69c garment
$1.50 men's light weight wool underwear ...$1.29 garment
50c poros-knit underwear ...39c garment

BE QUICK

Men's Pants

$2.00 men's heavy cord pants... $1.49
$1.25 Khaki pants... 98c
1 lot men's wool pants, va' up

200 Pairs Ladies' and

Ladies' Shoes

$4.00 and $4.50 Dress Shoes ...$3.39
$3.50 and $3.00 Dress Shoes ...$2.69
$2.50 and $2.00 Dress Shoes ...$1.89

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The Business Situation Reviewed

Barometric statistics indicate depressed business conditions throughout the entire world. There is, however, much to be thankful for even in the present circumstances. One of the most important things to be considered is the undeniable fact that improvement is now under way. Compared with last year, figures in most lines of trade indicate a subnormal condition such as may never have been witnessed before, but when comparison is made with the situation of a few months or even a few weeks ago, there is reason for the greatest encouragement.

There is every indication, too, that the betterment will continue indefinitely. It is in the neutral countries most remote from the war zone, that this improvement is taking place. The European countries engaged in hostilities, and neutral countries in close proximity, are having hard times.

Low prices for materials and easy money rates for short-term loans have combined to help the building business in the United States to a very considerable extent, and with the advent of spring much greater activity may be expected. Increased business in this line is certain to give a much desired impetus to various allied lines of commerce.

Prices of commodities are higher, particularly for the metals and for cotton. Steel products are in a better demand and slightly and for cotton. Steel products are in better demand and slightly higher prices lend the hope that a more profitable year will be enjoyed than was experienced in the previous twelve months. In fact there is a more cheerful tone in the steel trade than has prevailed before in a long time.

Railroad earnings for several years past have been unsatisfactory, since the war began the transportation companies have had some difficulty in making ends meet. There are still too many idle cars on the sidings, but here and there monthly earnings reports are beginning to indicate a turn in the tide. There are fewer commercial failures. The number is still large, but the worst in this respect is believed to be over. Last month's bank clearings also offer some hope in that the usual February decline has not been so marked as in former years, and the comparison is not unfavorable with the figures of February of last year.

With the extensive liquidation that has been in progress in almost every direction for many months past there is no doubt that the situation fundamentally is much sounder. This liquidation may not have run its course in all lines, and it is this that is making men cautious. There is a great demand for capital the world over, and prospective investors are waiting for bargains. There has been considerable new financing arranged thus far this year, and it is encouraging to know that corporations are now favoring long-term bonds instead of short-term notes, which so recently were the fashion. It means greater stability financially and reflects in a measure a return of confidence. Rates for long-time loans are very high and are likely to remain at an estimated rate of $50,000,000 a day. When business men are convinced that high money rates may continue indefinitely it is likely that many postponed enterprises will be undertaken.—Christian Science Monitor.

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TIMES

PROSPERITY and TRADE

CONTEST

Sales tickets from our stores only count in this contest.

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CHAFFEE'S CASH GROCERY
C. F. CLAPP, The Rexall Store
HENRY-HALL Hardware House

MILLINERY DISPLAY

Second display of millinery. I invite all the ladies to call and inspect the new lot of pattern hats which I will have on display Monday, March the 15th, and following days. Also a specially good assortment of children's hats.

All kinds of order work done.

Yours, as ever, to please,
MISS SARA RECKARD.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Mr. T. J. Paradows, piano tuner and repairer, is in the city of Covina every Tuesday. All of his work is guaranteed and backed by Marquette Piano Co., 822 S. Bdway., Los Angeles. Covina office, Palace of Sweets. Phone 459. 3-27

No. of Bank, 220.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE COVINA VALLEY SAVINGS BANK,

at Covina, Cal., as of the close of business on the fourth day of March, 1915.

RESOURCES.

	Savings.
Loans and Discounts	$180,067.35
Bonds, Warrants and Other Securities	2,660.00
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	7,000.00
...r Real Estate Owned	7,000.00
... from Reserve Banks	16,800.35
...al Cash on Hand	4,477.79
...otal	$218,005.49

LIABILITIES.

...tal stock paid in	$ 25,000.00
...lus	10,000.00
...vided Profits, Less Expenses and Taxes paid	19,428.42
...r Existing Profits Collected, but not in Undivided Profits Account	1,200.29
...ngs Deposits	113,644.88
... Certificates of Deposit	48,731.90
...otal	$218,005.49

...e of California, County of Los Angeles, ss:

W. M. Griswold, vice-president, M. ...eonhardt, cashier of the Covina Valley Savings Bank, being duly sworn, each for himself, says he has a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing report of condition and that every allegation, statement, matter and thing therein contained, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

W. M. GRISWOLD,
Vice President.
M. LEONHARDT,
Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents, the ...2th day of March, 1915.

(Seal) BRYCE M. GIVEN,
Notary Public in and for said ...unty of Los Angeles, State of California.

...otice of Sale of Stock for Delinquent Assessment

Troy Laundry of Covina, principal ...e of business, Covina, Los Angeles ...y, California. Notice is hereby ... that there is delinquent upon ...lowing described stock of the ...ation, on account of assess... levied on the fifth day of February ...915, the several amounts set op... the names of the respective ...holders, as follows.

...me.	Cert. No.	Shares	Amt.
...hard, C E.	1	10	$40.00
...n and Lavayea	5	10	40.00
...ls, Virgil J.	27	20	80.00

...l in accordance with law and an ...of the Board of Directors made ...fifth day of February, 1915, so ...ares of each parcel of such ... may be necessary will be ...public auction, at the office ...retary of said corporation, ...t National Bank of Covina, ... College Streets, Covina, ...s County, California, on ...ninth day of March, 1915, ...lock p.m. on that day to ...ent assessments thereon, ... costs of advertising and sale.

...RT M. PHILLEO, Secy.
...at First National Bank,
...California. 13-20-27

BIG TENT SHOW COMING

Burk's big "Uncle Tom's Cabin Company" will exhibit at Covina on Saturday night, March 20.

This is the first time that the public had had an opportunity of seeing the "New Version" of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," the greatest dramatization of this popular play ever written. Mrs. Stowe's historical play has been a favorite with the women and children, and they always go to see it whenever an opportunity presents itself. Burk's big "Uncle Tom's Cabin Company" has the distinction of being the largest organization of its kind on the road. They carry a special train of their own cars to transport their people, horses, ponies, donkeys, dogs, chariots, and other paraphernalia necessary to present the only grand spectacular production of this, the most successful drama ever written.

The big show will exhibit at Covina Saturday night, March 20th.

A Strong Argument

PAYMENT BY CHECK is simply a precaution by which you insure yourself against loss of money, inconvenience in making change, and the possibility of being short-changed or receiving counterfeit money.

You are absolutely protected against a second payment of the same bill, for the cancelled check, bearing the creditor's signature, constitutes the very best kind of a receipt.

These facts appeal to intelligent people.

Covina National Bank

Dr. J. D. Reed, Pres. — J. H. Coolman, V. Pres.
V. O. English, Cashier

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These will sell at prices from
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A new bottle is always cheerfully given in place of one that is not in every way satisfactory

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Prescription Druggist

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WE MUST RAISE THE CASH

No need for us to apologize---no need to say why---no long preambles. We must and will sell goods. This sale will be a real opportunity. Do not fail to come.

SALE STARTS SATURDAY, MARCH 13TH

Boys' Clothing

Every boys' suit must go

$7.00 suits	$4.95
$5.00 suits	$3.95
$4.00 suits	$2.95

BOYS' PANTS

$1.50 and $1.75 corduroy pants	$1.35
$1.00 wool pants	75c
75c wool pants	39c

All 50c, 75c, and $1 men's ties	39c
All men's 12½c hose	10c
All men's $1.25 and $1 shirts	89c
All men's 50c work shirts,	3 for $1
All men's $4 union suits	$3
All men's $3 union suits	$2.25

And where prices are not mentioned our prices are lower than elsewhere

Hats

25 men's $2.50 hats	$1
50 men's $3 hats	$2

10 per cent off on J. B. Stetson's.

Men's Clothing, Suits and Pants

$12.50 suits	$9.85
$4.00 and $5.00 pants	$2.95
$3.50 pants	$2.25
$1.50 khaki pants	$1.00
$1.25 khaki pants	85c

Shoes

We buy direct from the factory, thus saving whosesale house profits, and traveling salesman's commissions. We are wholesalers ourselves. No price we can quote can do justice to our stock.

Men's wide Toe $4 kid Comfort shoes	$2.95
Men's $3.50 and $4 Farnum shoes, all sizes, lace and button	$2.95
All $4 and 4.50 Crawford shoes	$2.95
Men's $2.50 tan bike shoes	$1.95
250 pairs women's shoes and oxfords, all narrow widths	$1.00
$4.00 fawn top button shoes, women's	$2.95

Discounts on all shoes except Grover's and Co-operative

BE SURE AND COME

The Broadwell Store

COVINA

Local Events

Kodak finishing, Covina Book Store.

Suits cleaned $1 at the Covina Dye Works. Phone 763.

See Mrs. Clapper for dressmaking. 120 W. College St. tf

Subscriptions taken for all magazines at the Covina Book Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwilyn Jones of Portlant, Ore., have been guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fields.

Mrs. Elmer King has been very ill since Tuesday with ptomaine poisoning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Richards of Los Angeles were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Onions.

Suits cleaned at the Covina Dye Works $1. All work done by an expert. Phone 763.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gray Curtis and daughter, Miss Eleanor, are spending the week-end with friends in Los Angeles.

Mrs. C. B. King delightfully entertained the ladies of the Bridge Club at their regular meeting last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Phillips and two little children of Corona were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Evans on Sunday.

We offer $2 and $2.50 reduction on celebrated Clarinda mowers. This lawn mower gives better satisfaction than any. We give travel scrip. Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

Assistant United States District Attorney M. G. Gallaher of Los Angeles, with his family, spent Monday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. J. McConnell on West College street.

Mrs. F. G. Bleecker is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Powers and son, Lewis, who have recently arrived from Maine to make an extended visit in various parts of California.

Buy a Clarinda lawn mower at a reduction of $2.50 on account of fire in Clarinda warehouse, and also get a mile of travel scrip for every dollar paid. ood on any railroad. Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

The Covina Transfer Company has changed its offices from the Wells Fargo office to the office of R. A. Welch corner of College and Citrus avenue, opposite the First National Bank. For all kinds of transfer work call phone 54. tf

We have the celebrated Dexter Washing Machine, which has discovered the secret of easy power. You can run this machine sitting down. This $14.00 machine offered for $12.00 during the coming week. Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

Dr .and Mrs. G. D. Jennings have been entertaining their cousin, Mr. John Hendrix Garnsey, of Marietta, Ill., this week. Mr. Garnsey has business in Redlands, to which he is attending while visiting his cousins here.

R. D. Hoard of the Auto Inn, 37 E. Walnut street, Pasadena, was in Covina Thursday, demonstrating the Chevrolet car. Mr. Hoard is looking for an agent for this line of cars in the Covina valley. Parties interested may obtain literature at the Argus office. 1tp

A dance and entertainment is to be held Saturday (tonight) at the West Covina club house for the benefit of Miss Leta Nash, the local candidate for queen of the 1915 festivals. The affair is being run by the Parent-Teachers' Association of that neighborhood, assisted by the young people and scholars.

A number of ladies pleasantly surprised Mrs. J. M. Edgett Tuesday afternoon by calling to spend the afternoon. The occasion was in celebration of her birthday, and after a delightfully informal afternoon was spent, refreshments including her birthday cake were served. The cake was a gift of one of the guests.

We are mighty glad to announce that we have put in a big stock of HANSEN GLOVES. You probably know the big values in HANSEN AUTOMOBILE AND WORK GLOVES. No finer line in the world. When men come here for gloves they invariably say, "Have you got the HANSEN? You can tell everyone that we carry this line. Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

The Queen Esther Circle of the Methodist church met last Saturday with Miss Dell Harnish. The regular meeting and study of the Red Man and discussion of work in the David and Margaret Home was followed by a pleasing vocal solo rendered by Mrs. B. L. Easton and a piano solo by Miss Dell Harnish. The remainder of the afternoon was spent informally with needle work, dainty refreshments being served at the close of the afternoon.

Picture framing. Covina Book Store.

Kodak films and supplies. Covina Book Store.

Miss Olive Diffenderfer of Los Angeles was a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cushman.

Mrs. W. W. Catherwood spent several days last week with her sister at Huntington Beach.

French dry and steam cleaning at the Covina Dye Works. All work guaranteed. Phone 763.

Mrs. Myrtle Church has been spending the week-end with relatives at Charter Oak.

Mr. Wallace, accompanist of Madame Teyte, spent Wednesday afternoon at the W. B. Broadwell home.

With a supply of new picture moulding the Covina Book Ctore is prepared to frame that picture.

Mr. and Mrs. Vreeland and Mrs. Gullett of Los Angeles were guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller.

Look forward to an entertainment to be given by the Queen Esther Circle of the Methodist church Tuesday evening, April 6th. 1t

Mrs. B. F. Thorpe was among the guests at a large reception given by Mrs. Celeste Nellis Ryus in Los Angeles Friday afternoon.

The success of the Spanish supper at the Woman's Club House Tuesday evening is assured by the fact that Mrs. A. P. Kerckhoff has it in charge.

A delicious supper is assured to those who enjoy Spanish dishes at the Woman's Club House next Tuesday evening. 1t

Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrenner was a guest of Mrs. R. E. Smith of Azusa at the meeting of the Azusa Bridge Club in Los Angeles last Tuesday afternoon.

Don't forget the Spanish supper given by the ladies of the Sacred Heart at the Woman's Club House on next Tuesday evening. 1t

Mrs. Gillett and daughter, Miss Edith, of New York, and Mrs. Halbritter of Los Angeles, were guests of Mrs. W. B. Broadwell and daughter, Miss Helen, Friday.

B. & F. RANCH HATCHERY, BALDWIN PARK.—White Leghorn chicks 10c each. Other utility stock and heavy breeds (baby chicks) 12½c to 25c each. Telephone your orders to Phone 589, Covina Exchange. tf

Take out those gum-diseased trees and Australians and plant avocadoes. No fumigation. Come and see what two and three-year-old trees are doing on the Good Luck Ranch. Bonita Nursery, phone 711. 4-3p

The Yarnell Ranch Nnrsery, Baldwin Park, Cal. Citrus and deciduous fruit trees of every kind. You can rely upon our tag. P.O. address, A. Yarnell, 4524 Central Ave., Los Angeles. tf

Mrs. J. L. Matthews attended a 1 o'clock luncheon Friday at Mrs. Marcaux's on Firty-first Place, Los Angeles. The occasion was a reunion of New York friends. Covers were laid for twenty. Mrs. Matthews furnished the vocal music for the afternoon.

"Rock of Ages," which was to have been given in pantomime, with colored lights, at the First Baptist church two weeks ago, will be given Sunday evening by Miss Mae Casey and Miss Marion Soway. "Seventy Donkey Riders" will be the pastor's subject. Big orchestra and chorus choir. Special music and all welcome. 1t

Speaking of washing machines, there is nothing can beat the Wonder washer that we have put in stock this week. No crank, no wheels, perfect suction, washes clothes in three minutes. For next week to advertise the new agency, we will sell at a reduction of $2. The two sizes will be sold for $8.50 and $10.50. Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

Mrs. B. F. Thorpe entertains each Tuesday evening with an informal reception of musical people at her studio in the Mozart theater building in Los Angeles. Among her guests last Tuesday were Roy Lamont Smith, a composer of a large number of songs which are very popular at the present time, Mrs. Oliver and daughter, Mrs. Brotherton and a number of other noted musical people.

Fire gutted the warehouse in Los Angeles where a large number of Clarinda lawn-mowers were stored. It did not in any way injure the mowers, except to discolor varnish in places. This firm has bought the stock, and is offering these splendid mowers for $2.50 and $2 less than the regular price. This is equal to 25 per cent discount. For years this store has carried the Clarinda mowers and always gave satisfaction. Here is your opportunity to get a perfectly-good, new mower at a remarkable discount. Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. Will B. Thorne are spending a few days attending the exposition in San Diego.

Automobile and work gloves at Henry-Hall Hardware House. Hansen gloves, "Built like a hand." 1t

Mrs. J. M. Smith, Eva and Lee Smith, are spending the week-end with the former's daughter, Mrs. H. N. Bennett, in Los Angeles.

Mrs. G. J. Smart, Miss Elizabeth Smart and Mrs. Solon Jessup attended a luncheon party in Los Angeles Wednesday.

See demonstration of Dexter washing machine at Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

Miss Ruth Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elsbery Reynolds of La Verne, was an over-night visitor this week of her cousin, Miss Vic Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brock entertained the Newcomers' Club last Tuesday evening at their regular meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller and three children spent last Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. W. E. Emery, in Chino.

The Queen Esther Circle of the Methodist church will hold a cooked food sale at the San Antonio Meat Company market this afternoon.

The Rev. George S. Kengott will deliver his second lecture before the Woman's Club next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. His subject is "Ethics of Charity." This is to be an open meeting to which the men of the town, the husbands, ministers or business men, also the high school students and teachers are very cordially invited to attend. Club will begin as usual at 2:30, the lecture to begin at 3. It is hoped there will be a large crowd to hear Dr. Kengott at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams were greatly surprised last Thursday evening when about sixty of their friends surprised them with a party at the church. Mr. and Mrs. Adams were guests of Miss Illie Stanton at dinner that evening, and were taken to the church by Miss Stanton on the pretense of taking a book from the church library. Upon arriving at the church they found the parlors lighted and their friends gathered to bid them farewell, as Mr. and Mrs. Adams are moving to Pomona to make their future home. A very delightful evening was given the couple, with games and music. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

"Built like a hand." Hansen gloves. Sold at Henry-Hall Hardware House. 1t

Mrs. W. P. Nye desires to thank everyone who has helped put her so far to the front in the Times contest for prizes, and greatly appreciates and further aid, either in subscriptions of in coupons. Mrs. Nye is well up in the list and has a very good chance to win one of the automobiles with the continued help of her friends.

Sporting Goods

BASEBALLS AND BATS

TENNIS GOODS

ROLLER SKATES

FLASH LIGHTS

THERMOS BOTTLES AND CASES

Clapp's

The Rexall Store

DRUGS AND STATIONERY

WHAT MAKES IT GO?

The clock's a puzzle. The world's a puzzle. Motion's the joy of watchmakers and the despair of philosophers.

Our clocks and watches go. If there's any puzzling to be done we do it under a fair and honest guarantee.

F. E. WOLFARTH The Pioneer JEWELER

COVINA, CALIFORNIA

Ladies of Covina! Mrs. Masson is ready for your spring orders for the Nubone corsets. Can give plenty of references and guarantees all her work. Address Baldwin Park. 4-3

The Excelsior class of the Methodist church entertained their members and friends with a masquerade party at the home of Miss Kathleen Traweek. The young people were dressed in fancy costume and spent the evening playing games, being served to a delicious supper at a late hour. The guests present were Misses Lucile King, Cleo Rust, Cleo Strosnider, Eva Dyer and Thelma Mitchell; Messrs. Donald Warner, Lester Seib, Glen Devol, Cyril Willoughby, McKinley Gowens, Rust, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Budd.

HISTORY OF AN AUTOMOBILE

In the fall of 1902 the Standard Wheel Company of Terra Haute, Ind., completed the design of and built a single-cylinder, 3½ horse-power runabout, and supplied the name Overland to this power-driven vehicle. They sold a number—perhaps a dozen—of these cars, the later ones of which incorporated some improvements over the original design.

During the year of 1903, 75 cars were built and sold.

Mr. John N. Willys acquired control and took the presidency of the company in January, 1908. Under his direction, the whole administration was reorganized, and called the Willys-Overland Company.

The first year's business under the new management totaled 465 machines.

Looking about for a new factory site, Mr. Willys purchased the Pope-Toledo plant, in Toledo. The factory covered seven acres, provided about 300,000 square feet of floor space, and employed 250 men. At the present time the ground covered by the Overland factory buildings is 92 acres, with 3,350,000 square feet of floor space 8,600 men are employed.

Fifty thousand cars was the company's output for 1914.

Quantity production makes it possible to turn out a $1400 Overland car at $1,075. Large production makes possible great economies in buying raw materials and manufacturing the finished car,

Great economies make possible great reductions in price without reduction in quality.

The guarantee of an Overland car is backed by a company whose responsibility and integrity are unquestioned.

Each member of the Overland car is made from a metal which is especially selected by reason of its physical and chemical properties as being most suitable for the use to which it is to be put in each case. Such as the gears are made of nickel steel (the same material as used in high priced cars), drop-forged, case-hardened, and double heat treated, leaving cone very tough, and surface glass-hard for strength and long-wearing qualities.

The Overland has 130 drop forgings to obtain maximum strength with minimum weight.

The wearing qualities of the exterior part of the Overland car. Take for instance the paint—paint that does not peel off. There are twenty-two distinct operations necessary for painting and polishing each body.

The accessibility of the Overland car allows easier adjustments and repairs. Easier to operate, more powerful motor, longer wheel-base, roomier body, and better equipped than others give at the price.

Do you know that the Overland is the only car under $1500 using a high-tension magneto for ignition? Examine other cars for your satisfaction.

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NO 5830

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF COVINA, AT COVINA, IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 4th, 1915

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and discounts		$251,802.61
2.	Overdrafts, secured; $12.30; unsecured, $752.13		764.43
3.	U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$25,000.00	
	Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation (book value)	$40,000.00	65,000.00
8.	Bonds, securities, etc., pledged as co'lateral for State or other deposits (U. S. postal savings excluded)	$29,418.89	
8a.	Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same	$14,786.23	44,205.12
9.	Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	$6,000.00	
	Less amount unpaid	4,000.00	2,000.00
10.	Banking house, $23,000; furniture and fixtures, $2,650.00		25,650.00
11.	Other real estate owned		2,350.00
12.	Due from Federal Reserve bank		5,666.65
13.	Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	$ 9,565.09	
	Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	$35,533.70	45,098.79
14.	Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 or 13)		2,439.42
15.	Outside checks and other cash items, $483.60; fractional currency, nickels and cents, $239.05		722.65
16.	Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		193.93
18.	Notes of other national banks		585.00
20.	Lawful money reserve in bank:		
	Specie	$26,294.30	
	Legal-tender notes	2,510.00	28,804.30
22.	Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		2,750.00
	TOTAL		$478,032.90

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
2.	Surplus fund		$ 50,000.00
3.	Undivided profits	$38,007.33	
	Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	2,984.72	35,022.61
4.	Circulating notes	$55,000.00	
	Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	3,500.00	51,500.00
7.	Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 5 or 6)		11,127.58
9.	Demand deposits:		
	Individual deposits subject to check	$253,098.33	
	Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	50.00	
	Certified checks	108.00	
	Cashier's checks outstanding	2,126.38	
	State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 8 of "Resources"	25,000.00	280,382.71
	TOTAL		$478,032.90

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss:

I, M. Leonhardt, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. LEONHARDT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1915.

(Seal) BRYCE M. GIVEN, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:

W. M. GRISWOLD

J. O. HOUSER

C. F. CLAPP

Directors

Local Happenings

Friends of Mr. Adams Give Him a Surprise

E. G. Adams, who has been employed for a number of years with the Warner, Whitsel Company, has obtained a position with the Pomona Sanitary Laundry in Pomona and moved to that city on Wednesday of this week. Mr. Adams received a pleasant surprise on Monday night, when members and employes of the Warner, Whitsel Company marched to his home in a body to give him a farewell and to show their regret in losing him as a fellow-worker. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Warner, C L. Hulce, Misses Pearl and Gertrude Hulce, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Seeley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huff, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Shrimplin and Mr. Perry. Everyone spent a pleasant evening, and refreshments were served by Mr. Adams. The members and fellow-workers of the company presented Mr. Adams with a pair of automobile driving gloves as a token of their esteem and friendship.

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St. Patrick's Party For Little Folks

A birthday party in the honor of little Miss Audrey Fox was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fox on East Cypress avenue Thursday afternoon, participated in by a number of little folks. The table decorations were made of St. Patrick's Day emblems, and the color-scheme was in green. The afternoon was spent in playing games. Those present were: Francis Howard Marshall, Edward Levine, Edward Gloege, Kenneth Williamson, Donald Kridler, Volora Tucker, Sarah Robinson, Ruth Pollard, Clocola Bloss, Iris Aschenbrenner, Genevieve Davis, Lucile and Mary Motter, Caroline McCarthy, Ruth Hale, Thisba Keeton, Hilda Brubaker, Cortland and Audrey Fox, Christal Lavine, and Laura Bowman.

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Box Social a Success

The box social which was conducted on last Friday evening, March 5, under the auspices of the B.Y.P.U. of the Baptist church, was a decided success, both in a financial and social measure.

The church parlors were artistically decorated in yellow acacia and green pepper boughs, which were in harmony with the attitude of the gay young set of people present.

The social was opened by a peanut contest, for which a prize was awarded. This was followed by an excellent musical program.

The climax of the evening came when the entire party was conducted to the basement, where gay-colored boxes containing good things were displayed. After much merriment had been created regarding certain boxes and their respective owners, the party sat down to lunch. About 75 were present and a delightful time was spent by all. This is only one of the many social functions which the society is contriving to conduct in the near future.

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Philathea Taffy Pull

The taffy pull given by the young ladies of the Philathea class of the Christian church last Saturday evening was well attended and quite a large sum of money made, to be used in the furnishing of the Sunday-school room. The delicious taffy was made by Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dudderar and was sold at 10 cents a plate, it being pulled by the purchaser. There was also a fish pond which afforded much amusement, a 5c piece being used as bait, brought forth prizes of all sorts. Games were played and impromptu music enjoyed.

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B. Y. P. U. Notes

The B.Y.P.U. was conducted last Sunday evening by the Cheer-Up committee of the society. The subject was, "How to make this a Happier World." A large number were in attendance and a spirit of enthusiasm existed throughout the service. Special music was rendered by the Misses Allie and Mabel Bohannan.

Next Sunday evening will be in charge of the Misses Annie Gorham and Polly Anderson. The subject is "How to Succeed in the Christian Life." Special music will be rendered during the evening and a good attendance is requested.

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Business Meeting Held

The officers and chairmen of the various committees of the B.Y.P.U. held their monthly business meeting at the home of the Misses Pearl and Mary Funk on Grand avenue, last Monday evening.

After the business had been transacted the meeting was adjourned and the evening was spent informally with games and music.

Camp Fire Girls Hike to Camp Baldy

The girls of Tamasentha Camp Fire of Covina enjoyed one of their strenuous "hikes" during last week-end, to Camp Baldy.

In regulation Camp Fire tramping custume, each carrying her one small pack, they started from the head of Euclid avenue at 10:30 Saturday morning. Most of them reached camp by 2:30, having stopped an hour for a light lunch this side of Hogsback.

After a rest and camp supper prepared by themselves, the evening was spent singing and telling stories around the big fireplace in the living-room to which they had been invited by the genial hostess, Mrs. McCullough.

A long tramp in search of snow was started about 11 o'clock. The wild scrambles in the dark around Mirror Lake, which is well guarded by buckthorn and Spanish bayonet, is likely to be remembered for some time.

About a mile and a half up Ice-House canyon they built a fire from which numerous excursions into adjoining snow-banks were made. The musical "Wo helo!" woke the echo in every pine tree as the snow battles raged. One by one, with freezing fingers and sweater pockets full of snow for the unwary, they straggled back to the fire. Long after midnight they were again in camp.

Sunday morning the girls, joined by two friends of Wigwam Camp, Misses Carolyn Jennings and Lucy Warren, went for another tramp into the pine trees and more snow above the lake, though a few kept to the level of the lake, having a prophetic eye for the down trip.

About 3 o'clock, after a camp dinner, the eleven started down the trail, part of them making the trip in two hours.

The party consisted of Mrs. Bertha Holt, guardian, Dana Goodnight, Irene Ryan, Lucile Matthews, Marie Nelson, Hazel Potter, Matilda Dotts, Eva Edwards, Gertrude Nash, Myrtle Daniels, and Margery Clarke.

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Miss Griffiths Entertains With Dance

"Roselands," the home of G. W. Griffiths, was a brilliant scene last Friday evening, when the daughter of the house, Miss Bernice, entertained a number of friends from Pasadena, Los Angeles and Hollywood at an informal dancing party. The park and driveway were lighted, large red bell-shaped lanterns being used. The rooms were artistically decorated boughs of the yellow acacia. Punch was served during the evening. Time was given to dancing, a delicious supper being served at small tables set on the veranda. Madame Ellen Beach Yaw was among the guests and delighted the people with several vocal selections. There were also numbers rendered on the piano.

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All-Day Session of Mission Women

At the all-day meeting of the Methodist ladies on Thursday, Mrs. J. L. Matthews for the Home Missionary society gave an interesting report as a director of the David and Margaret Home, which is in a flourishing condition, and Mrs. McConnell and Mrs. Davis reported the first meeting of the Queen Esther Circle last Saturday as one of much enthusiasm and promise. From moneys in hand appropriations of $5 each were made to the Francis De Pauw Home and the Deaconess Home of Los Angeles. The lesson study conducted by Mrs. Wallace dealt with conditions of life among the Red Men since coming into contact with the whites, which was enriched by many personal observations and experiences among them. Miss Sanborn conducted an exercise in question and answers, touching on various phases of home mission work.

The Foreign Society reported $30 available for the March report. A letter from the district secretary gave instructions regarding the five-year jubilee campaign, and the day of prayer, set for March 23, for which printed programs were distributed.

A diversion was created by a call from Rev. Harry W. White and wife of Pomona formerly of Covina.

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Pleasant Afternoon

This afternoon, at the home of Mrs. C. W. Coman, the girls of her Sunday-school class in the Presbyterian church, are entertaining eight of the older girls from the Merwin school. In the prettily decorated rooms, where peach blossoms and ferns were used, the merry girls played games, enjoyed music and had the best sort of a good time. Refreshments of fruitade, cake and confections were served at the close of the pleasant afternoon.

The W. C. T. U. Institute

Wednesday some fifty of the members, guests and friends of the local white-ribboners gathered in the daintily decorated M. E. church for the annual reciprocity day. Mrs. Mary M. Coman, president, had charge of the day's program, which included stirring music, enthusiastic reports and rapid temperance advance, a scholarly discussion, in the science of government course, upon the national departments of the navy, army and treasury, before luncheon. Several gentlemen were guests at the luncheon, which was served in the parlors, the tables being decorated with acacia, and with most appetizing delicacies, as well. The latter proved without question that the temperance women are as good cooks as they are enthusiastic workers.

In the afternoon Mrs. Julia Phelps, county president, gave interesting talks upon the general fine organization and work of the W.C.T.U., of our headquarters both at San Francisco and San Diego, and of our system of reports. Mrs. Mary C. Sampson of Los Angeles spoke of our national paper, the Union Signal, published at Evanston, Ill., of the many new and convincing leaflets and booklets printed at headquarters and had a very interesting "Before and After" illustrated story, in which some six ladies took part. Later, Mrs. Sampson told of the W.C.T.U. home for aged women, at Highland Park, where twenty-eight receive loving care. The special music of the afternoon was a much-appreciated feature, Mrs. J. L. Matthews, accompanied by Mrs. Chew, singing "Crossing the Bar," and "Bonnie Sweet Bessie" as encore.

Mrs. Bannister of La Verne spoke upon the series of specially observed days, running through the year, her own special work and interest being in connection with these same red letter days.

The entire day was most satisfactory and interesting. Rev. McConnell as host and official time-keeper was a decided success. Rev. Mr. Thompson, who was present, invited the union to meet at his church for their next all-day meeting.

Guests were present from Baldwin Park, Azusa, Glendora and Lordsburg unions.

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L. T. L. Sunday

The monthly meeting of the children, under the care and direction of the Covina W.C.T.U., will be held on Sunday afternoon at 3:30, in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church. Children between five and fifteen, of any and all denominations, are cordially invited to attend.

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Mrs. Coman Working For Automobile

Mrs. Mary M. Coman is in the Examiner contest, and yesterday she broke out with the following sonnet:

An auto! An auto!
I'm trying for an auto.
I hope to be successful,
And with your help, I ought to!

Examiner contest, Mrs. Mary M. Coman. Coupon box at Robert's book store. Phone 701 about advance subscriptions.

JUVENILE HUMOR

Little Lola—Mamma, do you think dollie will ever go to heaven?

Mamma—Why do you ask that, dear?

Little Lola—Well, I'm afraid she won't, 'cause she can't bend her knees to say her prayers.

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IT was their only "come-back." They *had* to say that, in stripping down prices to the point where they were *fair* to dealer and consumer and left no room for injurious price-cutting tactics, we had stripped our tires of some quality, too.

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There are padded tires as well as padded price lists.

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Now don't forget this—we are talking in the main about Goodrich Safety Tread Tires, for they represent ninety per cent of our factory output for resale.

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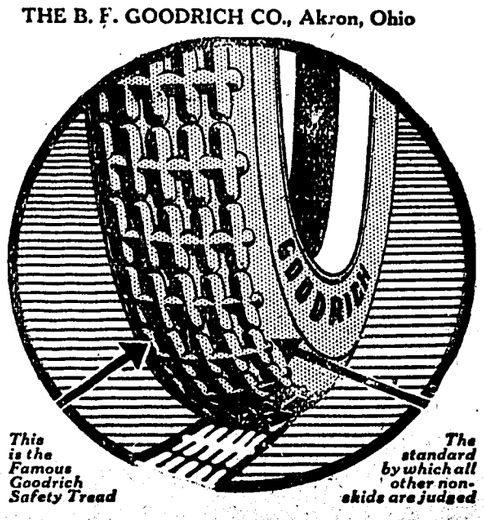
Size	Goodrich Safety Tread	OTHER MAKES "A"	"B"	"C"	"D"
30x3	$ 9.45	$10.55	$10.95	$16.35	$18.10
30x3½	12.20	13.35	14.20	21.70	23.60
32x3½	14.00	15.40	16.30	22.85	25.30
34x4	20.35	22.30	23.80	31.15	33.55
36x4½	28.70	32.15	33.60	41.85	41.40
37x5	33.90	39.80	41.80	49.85	52.05

If you are charged less for any other make than Goodrich, they are taking it out of the tire; if you are charged more, they are taking it out of you.



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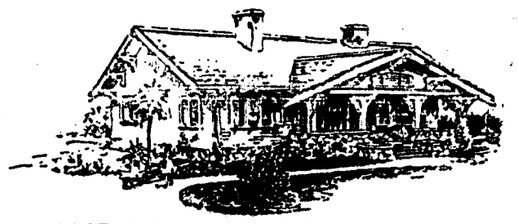

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News of the Valley

IRWINDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Geag and Miss Nellie Geag and Mr. and Mrs. Leech of Long Beach spent Saturday as the guests of Mrs. Unger.

Mrs. Unger spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends in Pomona.

Mrs. B. Miller has been spending the past week with her husband at their ranch in Anaheim.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fred Wiley spent a couple of days this week as the guests of a brother of the former in Los Angeles.

Miss Lombard of Los Angeles, and Miss Grace Shelp of Hollywood were guests over night and Wednesday of Mrs. W. G. McCadden.

Mr. Willard Dodd of Oregon was a guest Monday of W. C. Woodworth and family.

The Irwindale Miscellany Club will meet next Tuesday for all-day sewing at the home of Mrs. F. L. Worley. She will be assisted by Mrs. O. M. Baughman.

Miss Julia Senteney, who has been spending the past five months with Mrs. Newlan, left this week for her home in Illinois, going by the way of Berkeley, where she will visit friends and the fair at San Francisco.

Mrs. E. E. Washburn of South Pasadena visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coffman, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Costenbader of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coffman and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coffman, spent Wednesday picnicking at the Dibble ranch east of Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller and little son, Mr. and Mrs. B. Miller and son and Mr. and Mrs. Wendling spent last Sunday at the large ranch at Anaheim belonging to B. Miller.

WEST COVINA.

LETA NASH BENEFIT AT CLUB-HOUSE

Miss Leta Nash, candidate for queen of the festivals of 1915, will appear at the West Covina club-house tonight, where a benefit dance and social will be held. The proceeds will buy tickets to swell her chances in this contest. The affair is being arranged for her by the Parent-Teachers' Association, and there is a big committee of school children working for her.

R. E. Dancer, with a party of friends from El Monte, made a trip to Owensmouth Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hotchkiss entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Magill of Riviera and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Magill from Huntington Park, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Couch of Pasadena were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lang.

BALDWIN PARK.

The ladies of the Baldwin Park Woman's Club entertained their husbands last Friday evening at the annual reception. The club house was artistically decorated with the club colors, green and white. A short program consisting of a piano solo by Mr. Collins, a reading by Mrs. Phillip Hunt, a song by six young ladies and a piano solo by Mrs. Kolb of Long Beach. Following the program there were games played and dainty refreshments of ices, cake and candies served in the colors of the club. The hostesses in charge of the evening's entertainment were the Misses Marina Shultis, Leota Brolin and Pearl Dancer.

A. C. Thompson has purchased a new Ford machine.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Gilson and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Speer of Irwindale attended the services conducted by Rev. Harry White at the Trinity church in Pomona Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church met Thursday afternoon with Miss Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Pierce entertained Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dow of Dansvills, Vt., and Daniel Gage of South Pasadena Sunday.

Mrs. Moore of El Monte was a guest of her sister, Mrs. L. W. Wilkinson, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lenhart spent Monday with her daughter in Los Angeles.

CHARTER OAK.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cassel and daughter were dinner guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pitsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Monroe and daughter were guests last Sunday of friends in Duarte.

E. H. McHann has recently purchased a lot in Covina on West Badillo street and is planning to erect a home there.

Mrs. Galenus Morris entertained Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Beltun and daughter of Alhambra, and Mrs. Francis Price of Langdon, N. D., last Tuesday.

NO. 8222

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COVINA NATIONAL BANK, AT COVINA, IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 4, 1915

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and discounts		$147,535.16
2.	Overdrafts; unsecured, $91.79		91.79
3.	U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)		50,000.00
5.	Other bonds pledged to secure postal savings		3,000.00
8.	Bonds, securities, etc., pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (U. S. postal savings excluded)	$40,775.00	
8a.	Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same	$ 441.35	41,216.35
9.	Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	$3,600.00	
	Less Amount unpaid	2,400.00	1,200.00
12.	Due from Federal Reserve bank		3,271.89
13.	Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	$ 1,144.16	
	Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	$17,699.90	18,844.06
15.	Outside checks and other cash items, $20.30; fractional currency, nickels, and cents, $52.63		72.93
16.	Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		81.10
18.	Notes of other national banks		345.00
20.	Lawful money reserve in bank: Specie		8,909.05
22.	Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		2,500.00
	TOTAL		$277,067.33

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
2.	Surplus fund		10,000.00
3.	Undivided profits	$ 5,617.22	
	Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	2,958.80	2,658.42
4.	Circulating notes		50,000.00
9.	Demand deposits:		
	Individual deposits subject to check	$81,510.73	
	Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	12,894.05	
	Cashier's checks outstanding	5.00	
	Postal savings deposits	1,463.91	
	State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 8 of "Resources"	37,500.00	$133,373.69
10.	Time deposits:		
	Certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days	$ 6,800.00	
	Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice	$24,235.22	31,035.22
	TOTAL		$277,067.33

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss:

I, V. O. English, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

V. O. ENGLISH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1915.
LOTTIE M. MERWIN
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
J. D. REED
SAM'L FESLER
J. L. MATTHEWS
Directors.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Covina Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the third day of March, 1915, an assessment (No. 65) of 100 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1886) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the company at Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 6th day of April, 1915, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 28th day of April, 1915, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. EDWARDS, Secretary.
Covina, Cal., March 3, 1915.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Sheriff's Sale, No. B16267

Maude E. Vroom Rubey, formerly Maude E. Vroom, Plaintiff, vs. R. F. Huntoon and Louise C. Huntoon, his wife, Walter J. Wapler and Lillian F. Wapler, his wife, David Bradshaw and Laura Bradshaw, his wife, Frank E. Halliday and Grace Halliday, his wife, W. D. Newerf and Anna G. Newerf, his wife, Title Insurance and Trust Company, a corporation, Citizens National Bank of Los Angeles, California, a corporation, Defendants.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, of the State of California, on the 22nd day of January, A.D. 1915, in the above entitled action, wherein Maude E. Vroom Rubey, formerly Maude E. Vroom, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against R. F. Huntoon and Louise C. Huntoon, his wife, et al, defendants, on the 15th day of January, A.D. 1915, for the sum of Forty six hundred fifty-nine and 27-100 ($4659.27) Dollars, gold coin of United States which said decree was, on the 20th day of January A. D. 1915, recorded in Judgment Book 337 of said Court, at page 287, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

The north half of the following described property: Beginning at the common corner of sections ten (10) fifteen (15) eleven (11) and fourteen (14) in township one (1) south, Range ten (10) west, S.B.M., thence east seven hundred seventy-two (772) feet; thence south five hundred twenty-one and ninety-six hundredths (521.96) feet; thence in a westerly direction seven hundred seventy-eight and fifty hundredths (778.50) feet, more or less, to the Section line between Sections fourteen (14) and fifteen (15); thence north along said section line five hundred twenty-one and sixty-six hundredths (521.66) feet to the place of beginning, containing nine and twenty-nine hundredths (9.29) acres, more or less, excepting from said north half the north sixteen and one-half (16½) feet thereof conveyed by John W. Groover to the S.P.R.R. Co. by deed recorded in book 1045, page 290, of deeds, records of said county. Subject to an easement over the west thirty (30) feet of said north half for road, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances, water and water rights, pipes, flumes and ditches, thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof.

Public Notice is Hereby Given, That, on Monday, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1915, at 12:00 o'clock M., of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much therof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder for cash gold coin of the United states.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1915.
JNO. C. CLINE,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By W. T. Osterholt,
Deputy Sheriff.
E. D. Barry,
Plaintiff's Attorney. 4-3

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No. B16358

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION

The American National Bank of Monrovia,
Plaintiff.
vs.
T. A. Collins and Mary R. Collins,
Defendants.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, wherein The American National Bank of Monrovia, plaintiff, and T. A. Collins and Mary R. Collins, defendants, upon a judgment rendered the 26th day of October, A.D. 1914, for the sum of Nine hundred sixty-five and 76-100 dollars ($965.76), lawful money of the United States, besides costs and interest, I have levied upon all the right, title, claim, and interest of said defendants, T. A. Collins and Mary R. Collins, of, in and to the following described real estate, situate in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lot fourteen (14) of a portion of the Ranchio La Puente as per map recorded in book 7, pages 6 and 7, Miscellaneous Records of said county; also lots six (6) and seven (7) of W. R. Rowland's Subdivision of a portion of Ranchio La Puente, as per map recorded in book 42, pages 79 and 80, Miscellaneous Records of said county.

Excepting from the above described lot fourteen (14) any portion included within streets as per said map recorded in book 42, pages 79 and 80, Miscellaneous Records of said county.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That I will, on Tuesday, the 30th day of March, A.D. 1915, at 12 o'clock M. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, sell at public auction, for lawful money of the United States, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants, T. A. Collins and Mary R. Collins, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said Judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1915.
JNO. C. CLINE,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By W. T. OSTERHOLT,
Deputy Sheriff.
LINCOLN G. BACKUS,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
3—6-13-20-27

No. 28609

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of William F. Kleier, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the Estate of William F. Kleier, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix, at the office of Messrs. Gail & Pence, rooms 5, 7, and 8, Reed Building, in the City of Covina, in the County of Los Angeles, which is hereby designated as the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

MAGGIE KLEIER,
Administratrix of the Estate of William F. Kleier, Deceased.
GAIL & PENCE,
Attorneys for Administratrix.
Mch. 6-13-20-27

No. 28152

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edgar Franklin Burpee, Deceased.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE ON PETITION TO MORTGAGE

It is ordered by the Court that all persons interested in the estate of Edgar Franklin Burpee do appear before the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, State of California, in Department 2 thereof, on the 15th day of March, 1915, at 9 o'clock a.m., then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the real estate described below should not be mortgaged for the sum of $3500.00 as prayed for in the petition of Lizzie Alice Burpee, the administratrix with will annexed of said estate, this day filed, or such lesser amount as to the Court shall seem meet. Reference is made to said petition for further particulars. Said real estate is described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot of land situate, lying and being in the Phillips Tract, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows: Being Lot Number One, Book Number Twenty-two, of the Phillips Tract, a portion of the Puente Grant, according to a map of said tract recorded in the Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County in Book 9, Pages 3 and 4, containing ten and one-tenth acres of land more or less.

Dated Feb. 15, 1915.
JAMES C. RIVES,
Judge of the Superior Court.

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FOR SALE—Ranchers, if you are going to use barnyard manure this spring, call phone 346 before buying. Our prices are lowest in the valley. Dotts & Bapple, Charter Oak. Also general teaming and ranch work solicited. tf

FOR SALE—1 and 2-year-old orange trees, guaranteed true to name, would exchange same for a good team and hay. Persons wanting a large quantity can dig them themselves and save money. Telephone 494. O. C. Willoughby. 3-6-p

FOR SALE—Hardy budded avacadoes, field grown and not root-bound. Three-year-old trees, bore $50 worth of fruit this year. The Walker tree at Hollywood bore $800 worth. Order now. Also citrus nursery stock. Bonita Nursery, phone 711. 3-13p

FOR SALE—Hay and straw. Barley hay $13; oat hay $14; alfalfa hay $14. Also good young work mules. W. R. Rowland ranch, 1 mile east of Puente. L. A. Meredith, Phone 53 Puente Exchange. tf

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red baby chicks on the 13th of March. Harrison strain. 15c each. Hatching eggs, $2 a setting. Will also hatch at 3c apiece. P. O. Address, N. W. Bunting, route 2, Covina Cal. 1tp

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FOR SALE—5-year-old mare, weight 1100 lbs., and 1-year-old colt. Have no use for them. $150 will take them both. Phone 295. 1t

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FOR SALE—For $75, a good driving mare, harness and surrey. A. R. Taylor, Orange avenue, phone Covina 293. 1t

FOR SALE—300 banana and pearmain apple trees, 3-year-old stock, at very reasonable prices. H. A. Bogue, Home phone 77 Puente exchange. tf

FOR SALE—Orange grove, 7 acres. Washington navels in full bearing. Cheap water. Close in. Terms. J. H. Matthews, Covina. tf

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FOR SALE—1 double disc harrow, gang plow, jumper, ridger, cultivator, single plow. H. A. Porteous, Charter Oak. 3-13-p

FOR SALE—Cornish Indian Game eggs for hatching; 15 for $2. Phone 992, Dr. Watson. 4-17p

FOR SALE—Turkey eggs and New Zealand rabbits. E. B. Walker, South end of Hollenbeck street. tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGGE—Valencia orange trees, 1 year old buds. E. E. Austin, phone 507. 6-1-p

FOR SALE—Settings of thoroughbred Black Minorca eggs. Mrs. J. Wheeler. Phone 572. 3-27p

FOR SALE—1 span of heavy mules; also a mare, fine for orange groves. C. R. Norton, Puente phone 76. 3-13

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Knife Wounds Follow Mexican Family Row

FATHER-IN-LAW STABS YOUNG MEXICAN RECENTLY MARRIED —ONE IN COUNTY HOSPITAL, THE OTHER IN PUENTE JAIL

Louis Ortega, a Puente Mexican, is in the jail here, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon and Juan Jurado, his son-in-law, is in the county hospital with a serious knife-wound just above the heart, as the result of what the police say was a drunken row that occurred at Ortega's home last Sunday afternoon.

Jurado was married but a month ago to Ortega's daughter, who is 16 years old and one of the beautiful girls of the Mexican settlement. She has been known for some years as the belle of the neighborhood.

In a somewhat belated post-maritial celebration the father of the girl and the son-in-law became involved in a serious fight. The older man stabbed his son-in-law, making a deep wound near the heart. Jurado ran away from the house and succeeded in walking for several miles from Puente to North Whittier Heights, where he collapsed at the Martin ranch. He was joined there by his wife, and later, his injuries were dressed by Dr. W. W. Schultz of Puente. He was then taken to the county hospital by Deputy-constable Ergman. He is still in a critical condition. His father-in-law is being held at the jail and his trial will not be held until more is learned about the condition of Juarado.

WISCONSIN GUESTS ARE CHARMED WITH COVINA

Mrs. S. M. Austin of Waterloo, Wis., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank G. Bleecker, for a few days at their home, "Rose Villa." Also A. T. Powers, brother of Mrs. Austin, accompanied by his wife and son, Lewis, from Hanover, Me., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bleecker. While touring the country from coast to coast they say that they have found nothing to compare with Covina, "the place next to heaven." The dark, snow-capped walls of the Sierra Madre make a background to the beautiful orange groves through this citrus belt, now loaded with ripe, sweet and delicious fruit, which exhausts the English language to describe, as one of the visitors said.

Mrs. Llewellyn and daughter, Miss Leta, from Waterloo, Wis., were guests of Mrs. Bleecker and Mildred the first of the week. They were charmed with the country, having, as they said, seen nothing that compared with Covina. "The nice roads and beautiful boulevards are beyond compare," said Mrs. Llewellyn.

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Church News

Church of the Sacred Heart, Catholic—Mass at 8:00 a.m. in new edifice at Fifth and Center strets. Rev. M. H. Geary, pastor.

Christian Science Society of Covina holds service Sunday at 11 a.m. in Woman's Club House, Citrus avenue and Center street; subject, "Substance." Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m. Wednesday meeting at 8 p.m.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity; fourth Sunday in Lent: Holy Communion, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Confirmation services, 11 a.m.. Bishop Johnson will administer the apostolic rite of Laying on of Hands, and will preach. Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

Christian church: Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m., sermon and communion, 11 a.m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30; "Tests of My Christianity" is the subject. Miss Mildred Van der Vort leads. There will be no evening service on account of the Union temperance service held in the Methodist church. The morning subject will be "Make Me a Little Cake First." The church is located on the corner of San Bernardinio road and Park street. Garrett W. Thompson, minister.

Presbyterian church; March 14, 1915. Sunday-school at 9:45; preaching at 11 a.m. by the Rev. Chauncey A. Foreman of Albuquerque, N. M.; subject, "The Superlative Character of Christianity." Christian Endeavor at 6:30; there will be no evening service in this church as we will join with the other churches in a union meeting at the Methodist church at 7:30. There will be special speakers from Los Angeles. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Methodist church; S. J. McConnell, pastor; R. T. Chew, Jr., superintendent. Sunday-school at 9:45. Public worship at 11 a.m.; subject of sermon, "The Whole Counsel of God." Epworth League meeting at 6:30; subject, "Epworthians as Dyke Builders Against Rum." At 7:30 there will be a great mass meeting of the churches in the interest of state temperance legislation. Dr. D. M. Gandier, speaker. Good music at all the services. Children's meetings on Wednesday at 3:45. Prayer-meeting at 7:30. A warm welcome to all the meetings.

The stranger's church, the First Baptist, located at Second street near College; William W. Catherwood, minister. Bible-school commences at 9:45; Mrs. Viola Crozier, superintendent. A place and a class for all ages. Regular morning service at 11 a.m.; short sermon to the junior church. Regular sermon, the fifth in the series on Creation. Anthem by the mixed quartet. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3 p.m.; seniors at 6:30; subject, "Tests of My Christianity," led by Miss Annie Gorham and Miss Polly Anderson. The people's service at 7:30; subject, "Seventy Donkey Riders." Anthem by the male quartet at the close of the sermon. Miss Mae Casey and Miss Marion Lowry will give "Rock of Ages" in pantomime, with colored lights. The sermon is especially to young people. Come early and get a good seat. Wednesday evening prayer-meeting at 7:30. You are always welcome.

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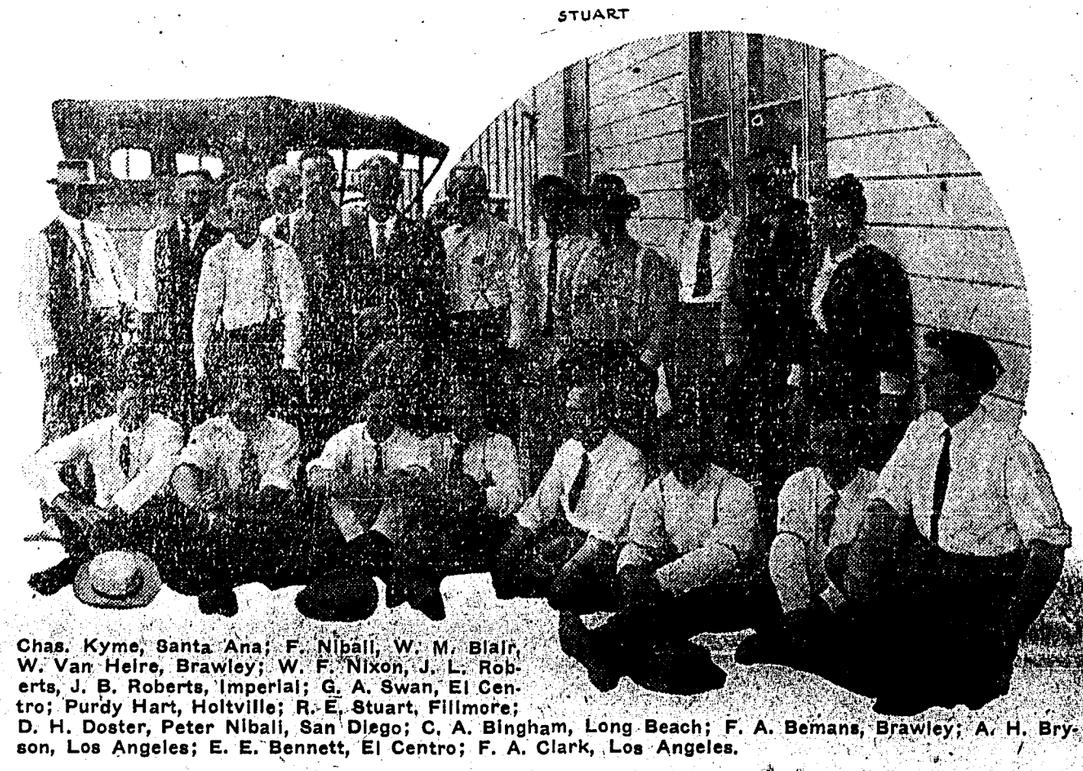

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W. P. Watts, one of the city trustees of Covina, announces that after interviewing F. H. Joyner of the highway department concerning the culverts near the corner of San Bernardino road and Grand avenue, he is satisfied that the road department intends to double the capacity of these culverts prior to putting own Grand avenue in macadam this spring and summer. Mr. Watts saw the plans for the culverts, and says that they will be adequate. This is of interest to the city of Covina, as the small culverts at this point endangered the city. The matter was taken up with the county over a year ago by City Attorney A. M. Pence.

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